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Title : METHODS FOR IDENTIFYING FACTORS THAT CONTROL THE FOLDING

OF AMYLOID PROTEINS OF DIVERSE ORIGIN

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Commissioner for Patents

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## PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated November 21, 2007, be extended for three months to and including May 21, 2008.

The required fee in the amount of \$525 is being filed concurrently herewith on the Electronic Filing System (EFS) by way of Deposit Account authorization. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 17481-004001.

Respectfully submitted,

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